

# **Jobs, Transportation and Housing: Connecting Home & Work**

## *Regional Housing Symposium*



**Purpose:** This symposium will stimulate, inform, and advance local dialogue on the connection between jobs, transportation and affordable housing. Through community education and sound land use policies cities can encourage the development of sustainable communities that provide the social, economic, and housing needs of all citizens.

Attendees will be engaged in a facilitated conversation with the presenter and panelists. The white paper will set the framework for the panel discussion by describing the state of local land use policy and problems created by the failure to encourage affordable housing and transportation solutions in areas of high job growth. Best practices as well as successful development models will be presented. The roles of the private sector in implementing sound housing policy will be explored.

**Speaker:** Trip Pollard, with the Southern Environmental Law Center, will present a white paper entitled “Jobs, Transportation and Housing: Connecting Home & Work”

**Panel:** A panel of leaders in our community representing the fields of housing, economic development, and transportation will comment and respond to the white paper presented.

**Date:** January 13, 2011

**Time:** 9:30 am to Noon

**Location:** The Regional Building  
Hampton Roads Planning District Commission (HRPDC)  
Hampton Roads Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO)  
723 Woodlake Drive  
Chesapeake, VA 23320

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